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SALISBURY STATE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI

It's a Record-breaking Phonathon

"Each spring the Alumni Association at SSU conducts its annual phonathon," said Judith Pielemeier, executive director of Alumni Relations, "reaching out to personally ask alumni to pledge their help once again.

This year's Alumni Board chair for fundraising is John Charrier, Jr. ('75) and the Phonathon representative, is Dan Gladding ('78).

This year's goal was \$125,000 to be raised by June 30," said Pielemeier. "To date the Alumni Association has received \$110,000 and expects to reach its goal. Total giving from alumni for all reasons to date is \$144,380."

This year's callers were 30 students at SSU who came during evenings to make the approximately 9,000 calls. At the conclusion of the phonathon, the students and helpers celebrated a job well done with a pizza and ice cream party.

All money from the alumni annual campaign is deposited in the SSU Foundation, Inc. The money, mostly unrestricted, is used to assist the University with recruiting

top faculty and acquiring state-of-the-art equipment, bringing first-rate speakers to campus, and responding to other requests which will academically enhance the University.

"The phonathon is considered as much a friend raiser as it is a fund raiser," said Pielemeier. "They hear wonderful stories about life on campus in years past, and alumni get an update on the campus of today."

The student coordinators this year were Melissa Larrimore, a psychology graduate student, and June Dysart, administrative aide for institutional research. The callers were Thomas Abner, Heather Bowen, Holly Dysart, Michelle Fries, Deidre Furey, Cassandra Gray, Gretchen Hale, Lori Hansen, Gina Hartman, Beth Hensly, Heather Holland, Kathleen Kelly, Marcia LaScola, Staci Lerch, Alice Lutry, Timothy MacMillian, Bryon McCrae, Karen McKinley, Elizabeth Miller, Michelle Miller, Yvonne Miner, Kim Parsons, Kathy Peterson, Alicyn Price, Peggy Raborg, Lori Robinson, George Skala, Maggie Souris, Chris Taylor, Marlena Tester, Susan Thomas, Kevin Weiner and Trish Zawicki.

Seidel Speaks At Honors Convocation

by Byron McCrae

SSU alumnus, Sam Seidel ('43) was the speaker at the 65th annual Honors Convocation, May 4.



Introducing Seidel, Dr. Nelson Butler, vice president of academic affairs, spoke of Seidel's 3 1/2 years in the Navy, the five battle stars he received in action in the Pacific in World War II, the many

community services he has been involved in, and his Martin Luther King Community Service Award to highlight Seidel's successful career.

"Preparation for the Future" was the title of Seidel's speech, one that was more friendly personal advice than lecture. "It's up you. You are the master of your fate," said Seidel.

"Obtain a marketable skill," Seidel suggested. He clearly speaks from experience as president of Maryland's largest privately-owned insurance company. Seidel also encouraged listeners to "Contribute to society by giving of yourself."

After Seidel's address, awards were presented to Dean's List students and other honorees, including April Thompson, the first Seidel Scholar, and Melanie Riffin, the recipient of this year's Seidel Nursing Scholarship.

Early Bird Reunions

If you'd like to see more of your fellow alumni, and you graduated in '30, '35, '45 or '50, your Early Bird reunion will be held June 29 and 30. Watch your mail for details or contact your class representative:

'30—Marion Thompson Mathews
(301) 498-7872

'35—Mary E. Nicholson 898-5423

'45—Gladys Evans—(302) 239-2792

'50—Arlene Knowles 883-3269

Higher and Higher . . .
some of the callers who helped make this year's Phonathon a success were, shown from left, standing, Melinda Khazeh, Maggie Souris, Kathy Peterson, Melissa Larrimore and June Dysart. Seated: Trish Zawicki, Cassandra Gray, Judy Pielemeier and Beth Hensley.



Chapter Chatter

Attention All Chapter Members!

Mark your calendars now for two exciting summer alumni events:

Moonlight Cruise—Sponsored by the Annapolis, Baltimore and Washington, D.C. chapters

Sign up for an evening cruise, Friday, June 22, down the Patapsco River to the Francis Scott Key Bridge and back aboard the *Sentinel*, a 65-foot twin-deck private charter vessel.

The *Sentinel* will leave the Light Street Pavilion on the finger piers (Baltimore Inner Harbor) at 8 p.m. and return around 11 p.m. Please plan to arrive by 7:30 p.m. Plenty of parking is available.

We'll be dancing under the stars to music supplied by two D.J.s. Light munchies will be served and there'll be an open bar with wine, beer and soda.

As an incentive, the chapter with the most members on board will receive a memorable SSU mystery gift which will be presented during the cruise. Its uniqueness will be valued for years to come.

Tickets are \$25 per person and we'll like you to make reservations by July 11.

Come along and join the fun. You'll have the chance to reminisce with old friends and new.

Orioles Game Bullpen Party

Summer wouldn't be the same without our annual visit to the Orioles baseball game and pre-game Bullpen Party, scheduled for Thursday, July 19. We've reserved the entire bullpen area and, because it is a large party, we've invited Frostburg State alumni to share the evening's fun with us. You'll receive a reservation form close to the event, but mark your calendars now.

Dover Chapter

A barbecue is being planned during August. Watch your mail for details.

If you'd like more information about chapter events, contact the Alumni Office, or your chapter president:
Annapolis Pat Donahue '74—(301) 672-3992 or work (301) 731-3194
Baltimore Dan Gladding '78—(301) 665-1323

Dover Richard Givens '75—(301) 734-3681 or work (302) 736-4231

Washington, D.C. Grace Lang '87—(202) 628-3879

Sunnyside Update

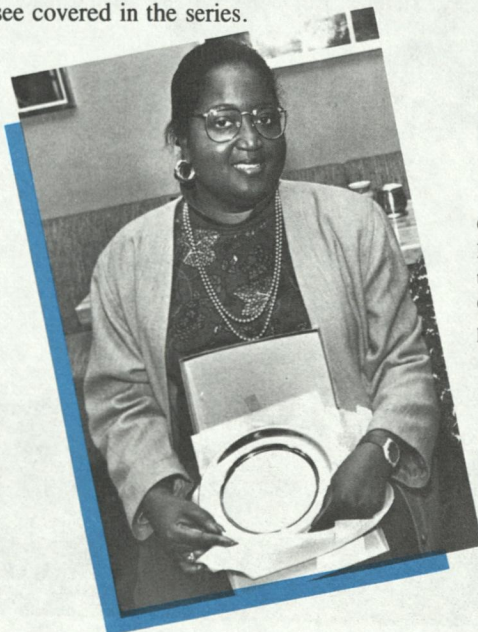
Fifty Salisbury-area alums were up bright and early April 5 for an informative and thought-provoking breakfast talk given by Dr. Greg Cashman on the recent changes in Eastern Europe and their impact on the world today.

Over a meal which included scrambled eggs, sausages, buns, fresh fruit and steaming coffee, alums listened to Cashman's account of how the EE Empire became an export-stifling drain on the Soviet economy; the resultant loosening of Soviet restraint on satellite autonomy; the Soviet need to redefine socialism and its perception in the West; and how "new look" socialism may fit into a soon-to-be-unified Europe and the rest of the world.

Cashman, chair of the Political Science Department, also speculated on the effects these changes may have on a world which has been largely polarized by East-West military competition since 1945. "Have the events of '89/'90 removed the rationale for high defense budgets?" he asked "Does it make sense that 50 percent of the U.S. military budget is devoted to the defense of Western Europe?"

The hour-long session gave time for a round of questions from the floor before the enlightened group set off for work shortly after 8:30 a.m.

SSU has on its faculty and staff experts in many areas. Please contact the Alumni Office if there is a topic you would like to see covered in the series.



Philosophy Reunion

About 40 alums enjoyed an evening of philosophical reverie at the Philosophy alumni reception held at the Honors House, Friday, April 6.

The event, organized by Gina Lardani, clubs and special events coordinator for the Office of Alumni Affairs, gave alums the opportunity to get together before the annual Spring Symposium with guest speakers Sydney Callahan, a pro-life feminist, and Bonnie Steinbock, a pro-choice ethicist, on the topic "Abortion: A Philosophical Conversation."

Dr. Francis Kane, chair of the Philosophy Department, was delighted with the turnout and hopes to make it an annual event.

Commencement

The Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr., president of the Maryland State Senate, delivered the address at SSU's 65th spring Commencement. Five hundred twenty-four bachelor's degree and 81 master's degree candidates were recognized for their academic achievements at the graduation ceremonies, May 26.

The class of 1990 included 306 receiving the Bachelor of Science, 188 receiving the Bachelor of Arts, 29 receiving the Bachelor of Arts in Social Work and one the Bachelor of Fine Arts. In addition, 81 students received master's degree, 41 the Master of Education, 10 the Master of Arts and 30 the Master of Business Administration.

Charlene Mills ('78) received the Outstanding Handicapped Marylander award for 1989 from the Lower Eastern Shore Governor's Committee on Employment of the Handicapped. Charlene, a wife and

mother, has Lupus and a joint disorder but doesn't let her disabilities slow her down.

She teaches at James M. Bennett Senior High School and organized the successful Black Alumni Reunion.

Charlene and Lawanda Dockins Gordy ('82) are working on a Black Alumni barbecue in July—give her a call (301) 546-1591 if you'd like to come to the planning meeting.

\$500,000 Federal Project For Nursing Education

Over the next three years, some 60 licensed practical nurses, nursing assistants and nursing students from disadvantaged backgrounds will be able to earn their B.S. in nursing at SSU through a new \$500,000 federally-funded and University-backed program named the MENTOR project.

A new computer learning center is to be established where students can study on new interactive video programming.

The Nursing Department has spent four years developing MENTOR, which was endorsed by the National Advisory Council on Nursing Training for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Elmore Scholarship

Nursing scholarships for residents of the Eastern Shore of Virginia attending SSU have been established in honor of Margaret Johnson Elmore, who spent over 20 years in the nursing profession.

The four-year scholarship, awarded to an Accomack or Northampton County student entering SSU as a freshman, is funded by a donation made by Mrs. Elmore's son, Page, and his wife Carolyn, an '82 grad of SSU.

Margaret Elmore was born in Onancock, VA in 1908. She graduated from Stuart Circle Hospital in 1930 as a RN. She currently resides in Princess Anne.

Peninsula, Mercantile Fund New Scholarship

H. Furlong Baldwin, chairman of Mercantile Safe Deposit and Trust Company, and Hugh W. Mohler, president of Peninsula Bank, announced a joint \$20,000 scholarship for Eastern Shore residents attending the Perdue School of Business.

The scholarship will enable students to participate in the International Business Seminar, a three-week trip in January to five European countries.

"We hope this gift enables Salisbury State University to continue to fulfill its commitment to the community," said Baldwin.

Mohler said, "The endowment aids Eastern Shore residents and also supports the Perdue School."

Focus on Maryland Tour Series

What could be nicer than to join fellow alumni on a leisurely and informative mini-tour spent exploring the pleasures of Maryland? Two trips are planned for August—and it's not too late to sign up for one or both of them.

Assateague Adventure (August 10-12) offers alums a weekend of relaxed nature walks on the delicate island with guide, Dr. William Wroten, retired chair of the History Department. Wild ponies roam freely as you stroll along the unspoiled seashore.

Sip mint juleps on the veranda of a Confederate general's riverside plantation. Experience a seafood feast and other gourmet meals. All this, *plus* the chance to return to your Alma Mater for a two-night stay in the air-conditioned dorms!

Focus on the Chesapeake (August 27-28) will give you a taste of a waterman's life as you cruise the Bay and its rivers aboard the Half Shell. Visits to the Center for Environmental and Estuarine Studies at Horn Point, other laboratories and museums, plus the chance to meet local watermen, will give you a clear perspective on the Bay, its history and its future. The tour guide will be Dr. Eugene Cronin, former director of the Chesapeake Bay Research Consortium and the University of Maryland's Chesapeake Biological Laboratories at Solomons. Monday night will be spent at Harrison's Chesapeake House on Tilghman Island.

An historic tour of Baltimore, whitewater rafting and a ski trip to Wisp are planned for the fall.

For more information and to make reservations, contact Mrs. Joan Patterson, Director, Office of Alumni Travel, University of Maryland System, 3300 Metzgerott Road, Adelphi, MD 20783. Phone (301) 853-3743.

Homecoming

Mark your calendar for Homecoming, October 5 and 6. The weekend will be packed with activities, including old favorites like the Hall of Fame Dinner, football game and Grand Reunion with music by the Epicureans. The Black Alumni Chapter will be presenting a concert by black flutist, Keith Marks. Discounted accommodations are available through the Alumni Office.

School Scape

Perdue School of Business

Dean Timothy S. Mescon is leaving in June to become dean of the school of business at Kennesaw State University in Marietta, GA.

Fourteen new Perdue Scholars will join the student body in the fall.

Ted Turner was the keynote speaker at the 4th Annual International Business Plan Competition, co-sponsored by the Perdue School held in Atlanta.

The Department of Management and Marketing has inaugurated a Campaign for Excellence.

School of Education and Professional Studies

The multicultural conference featured Dr. Asa Hilliard. Hilliard is an expert on education in South America and Africa.

Samuel W. Seidel ('43) has made an additional \$25,000 donation to the Seidel Scholars Program in Education bringing the fund total to 50,000.

The Fulton School of Liberal Arts

The first four recipients of the Fulton Scholar awards have been announced.

Three artist-in-programs have been set for this fall. Salvatore Mancini, a noted photographer will work with art students for a month. Kelly Morgan will be director-in-residence for two plays. The Annapolis Brass Quintet will be artists-in-residence with the Music Department during the next academic year.

School of Nursing and Health Sciences

The School was the recipient of a \$500,000 grant (see column 1 for details).

The faculty have developed a curriculum for a BSN-MSN track for college graduates from other disciplines.

The 1989 Medical Technology and 1990 Respiratory Therapy graduates achieved 100 percent pass rates.

The School will host a conference, "Gerontological Nursing Regional Conference" on June 8.

Henson School of Science & Technology

Three incoming freshmen have been awarded the Henson scholarship.

The Henson Lecture Series featured Professor Howard T. Odum, well known ecologist, for Earth Day festivities here.

The Eastern Shore Computer Bowl was co-sponsored by the Computer Science Department and a grant from Delmarva Power.

Sixteen Henson Scholars were honored at the Henson Scholars' Luncheon, May 16.

1989-90 Winter/Spring Sports Roundup

by G. Paul Ohanian

Following a successful fall '89 semester, the winter and spring sports teams enjoyed equally impressive campaigns.

Employing a new offensive philosophy this season, the run-and-gun Sea Gull basketball team established a new NCAA Division III scoring record with an average of 104.5 points per game, while finishing the year 14-13 overall.

The women's basketball team finished at 12-12. Guard Sandy Jankevicius ended her four-year career as the fifth all-time scorer in team history with 1,173 points.

Several fine individual performances highlighted the SSU wrestling season, with Marty Lewis, named the team's MVP, finishing with the best match record on the squad at 15-6-1.

The men's lacrosse squad, under second-year coach Jim Berkman, recorded their 11th straight winning season as they finished 11-4 and ranked fifth in the final Division III poll while advancing to the national semifinals.

Despite Coach Deane Deshon's first losing season since 1986 and just his second losing season in 16 years, the baseball team, 14-16-1, did win an unprecedented fourth straight ESAC championship. Senior outfielder Mike Shockley established a new record for most steals in a season, with 42.

Also repeating as conference champions was Dean Burroughs' men's tennis squad, which finished 10-4 overall. Freshman Bill Stern captured the ESAC singles title in the number two flight, while the tandems of Tre Moore/George Wines and Mike Kaminski/Dave Hardesty each won doubles championships.

Like the baseball team, Coach Dawn McCrumb saw her consecutive streak of winning softball seasons snapped also, with a 13-18 campaign her first non-winning season in six years.

Coach Dawn Chamberlin's women's lacrosse team came three goals short of winning its second straight Maryland State Tournament, losing in the championship game to Georgetown University, 14-11.

Eight Sea Gulls earned all conference honors at the Mason-Dixon Track Championships that closed out the men's and women's track seasons. Senior distance runner Doug Mock highlighted the meet by earning the MVP trophy after placing first in both the 1,500 meter and the 5,000 meter runs.

In all, Salisbury State captured one-third of the ESAC's 12 team championships during the 1989-90 year, thus winning the All-Sports Trophy for the third straight year.

Class Notes . . .

'28

Mabel Scott Holland is a representative of the Worcester County Retired Teachers Association.

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Mary A. Larrimore chairs a group to preserve Tuckahoe State Park.

'30

Flora Hankins Wiley authored "How to Cook Like a Hillbilly Without Apologizing." A Harford County historian, she and her husband, Ross, write for "The Villager," published by Vickie and David Caruthers. The latter is a grandson of the late Dr. T.J. Caruthers, a member of the original faculty of "SNS." David's father, Dr. J. Wade Caruthers of Annapolis, is a member of the class of '38.

'31

Margaret Laws Engle and her husband, George, have recently returned from a 16-day air/sea cruise to the Mediterranean area in the Royal Viking Sky.

'43

Betty Price Carey married Col. Robert S. Price (from Catonsville) on June 9, 1989. She is now living in St. Petersburg, FL.

Georgia Madick was honored at the United Way for Southeastern Michigan's 23rd annual Heart of Gold Award luncheon. She was nominated by the Mental Health Association in Michigan. She also helped organize teacher training programs for Detroit Schools and is a trustee of the Merrill-Palmer Institute, a chamber member of the Grosse Pointe volunteer program, and director and past president of Detroit Industrial School.

'48

Doris D. Taylor, director of surgical specialties at Peninsula General Hospital Medical Center recently retired. Doris had been at PGHMC since 1948.

'54

C. Stanford Crockett recently retired from Montgomery County Public Schools after 33 years of service, 29 of those years as an elementary supervising principal. His wife, the former **Anna Lee Funk** ('52) also retired from her position as associate regional minister of the Capital Area Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

'59

William C. Livingston is planning director for the Wicomico City Council.

'61

Gretna Willis is the current vice principal at James Bennett High School.

'62

Janet H. Bailey has two grandchildren, ages 4 and 5. She is teaching fifth grade at Federsburg Elementary School.

'64

Sandra Greer is director of secondary schools for Wicomico County.

'65

Robert D. Evans is the director of finance and logistics for Wicomico County.

Ralph Murray is the president of the Salisbury Optimist Club.

'66

Shirley Moran is an English teacher at Stephen Decatur High School in Berlin.

'67

Gail B. Harrison works as an instructor in English at Woodbridge Business Institute in Salisbury.

'68

Joana Donovan is the principal of Pinehurst Elementary School in Salisbury.

'69

Charlie Bounds is the principal at North Salisbury Elementary School.

Ronald H. Gore is a Nationwide Insurance agent and has been invited to Nationwide's 1990 President's Conference.

'71

DiAnn Black has a son, Scott, 5. She is a case worker supervisor.

Greg Wood is currently the Delmar Wildcats' head football coach.

'72

Donald Hackett is the executive director of Wicomico Teen Adult Center in Salisbury.

Linda Windsor has recently become a published author. Her first novel is "Pirate's Wild Embrace." Two books are scheduled for press later this year. Linda is living in Salisbury.

Capt. David C. Massey, commander of the administrative and services division of the Ocean City Police Department, was appointed chief by the Ocean City Council.

'73

Deborah Dumeyer is teaching the sixth grade at Pemberton Elementary School.

Gayle Haywood Gear joined the law firm of Sirate & Permutt, P.C. in Birmingham, AL.

Phyllis E. Truitt is a library media specialist at Ocean City Elementary School.

'74

Marie Nitzke and her husband, John, have relocated to the Dallas, TX area. She is working as a curriculum developer for Verifone, Inc. in Dallas.

John L. Gasque, Jr. has recently joined Bill Martin Associates as a realtor. He resides at Essex Ridge in Delmar with his wife Joan, son, Billy, and daughter, Jill.

Paul Rendine is the chairman of the Lower Eastern Shore Committee on Employment of the Handicapped, Inc.

Carlton Phillips, a research biologist, and Suzanne Bartlett Phillips reside in Joppatowne and have two children: Brian, 13, and Tracy, 10.

Bev Newman Horner and her husband, Bud, are the proud parents of a son, Robert Louis, born November 15.

Margaret (Peggy) Pasbach Elliott now lives in Ames, IA with her husband, Dave, and daughters Catherine, 7 and Christina, 5. Dave is an assistant football coach at Iowa State University and Peggy works in the Child Development Department at I.S.U.

Attorney **Edmund L. Widdowson** recently resigned from the Princess Anne Town Council as town attorney. He will continue with his private practice and will continue to work as an attorney for the Princess Anne Election Board.

James Russell Rieck received a Doctorate of Philosophy from Clemson University.

'75

John Layo is supervisor of transportation for the Wicomico County Board of Education.

Chris Bounds is a sexual assault counselor for the Life Crisis Center in Salisbury.

Ray Moore is the assistant principal at Stephen Decatur High School.

Kevin T. Orlando is the president of Future Visions, Inc. He resides in Waldorf, MD.

Thomas P. Stitche completed his degree requirements for his Doctorate of Education from the University of North Texas, and graduated on December 16. His dissertation was completed using the SSU lacrosse team.

T. Paul Pfeiffer has been teaching theatre at SSU since 1980—the year his teacher, Dr. Leland Starnes died. He now holds the title his mentor created—director of theatre for SSU. Currently working on his Ph.D. in classical performance, he directs two productions per season and encourages all alumni to “come home for some of the fun.”

Valda Dennis McKinney is a teacher in Miami, FL at Charles R. Hadley Elementary School.

Grace Foxwell is teaching second grade at Pinehurst Elementary in Salisbury.

Lorraine Michel is working in the athletic training field at Georgetown University.

'76

Gary A. McCabe is the superior supervisor of business operations for the Worcester County Board of Education.

Alleen Krumble (Dizzy) Berkey is the head softball coach at Furman University in Greenville, SC. Furman is a Division I NCAA school. The softball team was ranked in the top 30 in nation.

Gregory W. Steere and his wife celebrated the birth of their son, born March 1.

Catherine Rock Bolest and her husband, Michael, have a second son, Matthew, born in August. Their first son, Christopher, is 3. They have a student tour business, Capital City Tours, and currently reside in Towson.

'77

Vicky Bishop Ford and her husband, Gordon, are proud to announce the birth of their son, Russell, on February 16. Vicky and Gordon also have a daughter, Emily. The family resides in Marion Station, MD.

Catherine Berry won an award for the Carroll County Business and Professional Woman at a statewide contest.

Robert Hays and **Barbara Lawrence** ('78) have another son, James Thomas, born in August. Timmy joins Steven, 5, and Carol Ann, 2.

Pernetha Ross is currently the school principal at St. Clair Center in Cambridge.

Kevin Hayes is the treasurer for Junior Achievement in Wicomico County.

Charlotte M. Cain is the coordinator of the School Business Partnership Program for Somerset County Schools.

Mary Lou Chandler was recently elected as a board member of the Holly Center Citizen's Advisory Board.

'78

Daniel H. Gladding is a training specialist and telecommunications consultant with the Maryland Department of General Services' Office of Telecommunications Management. He was recently named to the board of directors of the SSU Alumni Association.

Sarah E. Pease was married to Ronald Neugebauer, formerly of Long Island, NY. They are now living in Annapolis. Her husband is regional manager for the Anne Arundel County Department of Utilities. Sarah has taken a new position as design consultant for Window Works.

Mary Oross Houck is the shift supervisor of the laboratory at Memorial Hospital of Easton.

Lawrence C. Robinson and his wife, Cindy, celebrate the birth of a daughter, born April 3. The family resides in Salisbury.

Ralph Aurillo has directed the Old Dominion University Stage Band and the SSU Jazz Band. He is a veteran of 20 years with the U.S. Navy from which he retired as a chief petty officer. For 13 years, he was a member of the faculty at the U.S. Navy School of Music. Ralph holds a Bachelor of Science from ODU and a Master of Education in music from SSU. For the past 20 years, he has been an instrumental music teacher in the Capitol School District of Dover, DE. He will retire from teaching on July 1.

JoAnne Mulchay is currently a teacher at Showell Elementary School.

David S. Bollinger is vice president of Barnes-Bollinger Insurance in Westminster, MD. He is a member of the board of directors of the Bank of Maryland for Carroll County. He and his wife of five years, Cathy, have two daughters: Emily, 3, and Katie, 1.

Ralph M. Pratt is a missionary with Youth For Christ. His mission is to teach the good news of Jesus Christ in every high school possible across southern Africa. In 1988, Ralph had 30,890 young people complete response cards for “Harvest '88”; and in seven months the teams had 1,378 school meetings, visited 282 churches and staged 110 Youth Harvest rallies across the nation.

Diane Lesser is an assistant professor of social science and chairman of the faculty council at Wor-Wic Tech Community College.

'79

Shelley McCollister is teaching kindergarten at Vienna Elementary School.

Carolyn Wright is the director of activity therapy for the Deer's Head Center.

Rosemary McKnew Mayes and **Carl Raymond Mayes** married in 1980 and are expecting their third child in November. They have two sons, ages 5 1/2 and 2. They are both working for the government and are living in Pasadena, MD.

Yerma (Holly Boda) and Victor (Nick Lutizio) in SSU Dance Company's “Yerma,” which played to packed houses May 12 and 13. Opening Night was Alumni Night with a reception in the Social Room.



Bruce Hartley ('70) blows a mean sax at the Epicureans reunion, April 7. Over 250 alumni rocked the night away.



Gina Lardani prepares to dish up a free ice cream cone to Rich Grant, a May '90 graduate, at the Alumni Ice Cream Cart, on Wellness Day, May 14.

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Peggy Hall Bagley is coordinator of the cardiovascular disease prevention program at the Wicomico County Health Department in Salisbury. She recently joined the board of directors of the SSU Alumni Association.

Joan LaRue is a kindergarten teacher at Princess Anne Elementary School and was named by the Maryland State Teachers board of directors to represent MSTA at the National Educational Association convention in Nashville on March 11.

Kenneth I. Rapp has recently been appointed regional marketing representative of the lower Eastern Shore by Delmarva Health Plan. Ken and his wife, Beth, live in Salisbury with their three children.

'80

Chuck Perdue has been promoted to a senior field claims representative with Farmers' Insurance Group.

Nancy Hutton Davis and her husband, Dexter, currently reside in Abingdon with their two children, Sarah, 4, and Scott, born December 2. Dexter is a stock broker for Kidder Peabody in Baltimore.

Brian Merriken and his wife celebrate the birth of their baby, born March 24. The family resides in Salisbury.

Jerry Judge has recently joined Computer Consulting Service of Easton as a computer marketing specialist.

Robin Townsend is engaged to marry Martha Richards.

Holly Martin Hawkins and her husband, Gains, had their second child, Dorothy Martin (Marti), on April 23. Holly is an elementary school teacher in Wicomico County and Gains is the public relations director at SSU.

'81

Tracey Pimental McGovern was married September 27, 1986 to Jay McGovern. They recently celebrated the first birthday of their son, Patrick. Tracey was recently promoted to senior account manager for Centel Federal Systems in Reston, VA. She and her family reside in Rockville.

Mary-Kate Hall married **Brian Zelubowski**, ('82) five years ago on April 13. They have a house in Severna Park and a vacation home in Ocean City. Brian is a sales representative for Bell & Howell, and Mary Kate is a sales representative for the largest petroleum products company in Baltimore.

Terry Cannon Tappan is working for the Delaware Division of Mental Retardation. She was recently promoted to program specialist in a day rehabilitation program for mentally retarded adults. She returned to SSU in fall 1989 to pursue a Master of Education. Terry is currently residing in Lewes, DE with her husband and two children, Kellie, 3 1/2, and Sean, 2.

Janet Catlin Griffith and her husband Kent announce the birth of their daughter, Elizabeth Ayres, born May 23. They live in Salisbury with their son, Michael, who will be 4 in June. Janet is employed at Worcester County Youth & Family Counseling where she has been for four years, and has a private practice in Salisbury.

Lynne Wood Sutton and her husband, Richard, announce the birth of their first child, Richard Nicholas Jr., born January 9.

Debra Harrison recently married Walter Warren. The couple is residing in Salisbury.

'82

Karen Satterlee is a health care professional currently forming a new chapter of Parents Anonymous, an

international support group for parents who mistreat or are in danger of mistreating their children.

Patricia K. McKenzie is teaching second grade at Westside Primary School.

Jane Beardsley is a member of the Salisbury-based Consort Baroque.

Peter F. Sauer was accepted as a nominee into the American College of Medical Group Administrators.

Michael Allen Dunn and his wife celebrate the recent birth of their daughter. The family is living in Salisbury.

Lawanda Dockins Gordy is the assistant director of operations at the Salisbury State University Center. She is also a member of Soroptimists International, serves on the Wicomico County Parent Advisory Board and recently joined the board of directors of the Salisbury State University Alumni Association.

H. Brent Ashley is the owner of Elite Motel in Ocean City. He is a member of the board of directors of the Ocean City Hotel, Motel and Restaurant Association and of the Ocean City Visitors and Convention Bureau. He serves on the Noise Control Board for the town of Ocean City as well as the Worcester County Mass Transit Advisory Board.

Betsy G. Bishop has a son, Jordan Lee, born on September 25. Betsy resides in Salisbury and teaches first grade at Snow Hill Elementary School. She received a Master of Education from SSU in 1986.

Anne Swartz married Brian Simmons in April. They live in Marietta, PA. Anne is employed by Wyeth Ayerst Labs and was recently promoted to senior biologist in Research and Development. She also sings in the Red Rose Chapter of Sweet Adeline's Chorus.

Julie Tawes Bailey and her husband, Scott, celebrate the birth of their first child, Jennifer Lauren, on November 7.

'83

Raymond Scanlon and **JoAnn Baylis** were married in April.

Karen Kelly Kiehne is living in Annapolis with her husband, Bob, and their daughter, Kerry Aspen, 3, and their 5-month-old son, J. Zachary.

Susan Lancaster and **Tommy Oursler** are proud parents of their second daughter Nicole Patrice. They are living in Dunkirk, MD.

Faith Rosencrantz and her husband, Capt. David Humerick, are the proud parents of a son, Bryce David. They are currently living in Germany.

Tracey Gould Butler was married in 1986, and she and her husband are living in Gorham, ME. They have a 20-month-old son, Douglas, and are expecting their second child in July.

Mary Arnold is an accountant for Gates Marina in Deale, MD. She has a daughter, Emily, 2, and she is expecting another child soon.

Lucy Mohler is the executive director of the Community Foundation of the Eastern Shore, Inc.

'84

Cynthia Lynn Groff married Robert William Cook. The couple resides in Copperas Cove, TX.

For the past eight years, **Ellen Murdock** has been U.S. Sen. Paul Sarbanes' Eastern Shore representative.

Deborah Moxy and **John Batzer** ('87) were married on February 24.

Janet Garczynski Parsons married Rondall E. Parsons on May 20. Janet is employed as an area sales manager with Pepperidge Farm. She and her husband are expecting their first child in October.

Bob Tavik, Jr. was recently promoted to project leader at an Annapolis computer firm. His wife, **Deison Devel Tavik**, is the publications specialist at North Arundel Hospital in Glen Burnie. Their daughter, Rachel, was born in August 1988. The family resides in Glen Burnie.

Elizabeth (Crickett) Reed Kelly married Michael Johnson on October 14. She is currently employed by Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Delaware as an RN in managed care. She also makes community health visits with Bayada Nursing. Future plans include taking the AAURQA exam in November, buying a home and traveling.

Andrew G. Gee was married on March 10 to Cynthia Trice. Cynthia is a CPA for Ernest & Young in Baltimore. The couple recently purchased a new home in Elkton. Andrew is the vice president and partner of Pro-Am Discount Golf & Tennis, Inc. in Glasgow, DE, a partner in E & D Associates and an associate at Gee Funeral Home, PA.

Lester D. Shockley and his wife, Katy, have transferred to Sumter, SC with Campbell Soup Co. L.D. has been promoted to senior manufacturing engineer.

Kathy Barr married **Michael Poulard** in June 1985. After spending three years in Colorado, they now live in Columbia, MD. Kathy is an RN working in Columbia, while Mike is a claims adjuster for State Farm Insurance in Rockville. They have two children: Carla Marie, 4, and Christopher Michael, 2.

Joe Hampton was married to **Barbara Blascovich** ('87) on January 27. Joe is a manager for M-NCPPC in College Park and Barbara is a magazine production assistant at AGC in Washington, D.C. They reside in Columbia, MD.

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Margaret Dawson Isley is an account executive for 96 Rock/WWTR-FM and 16 AM WETT in Ocean City. She is active with the Atlantic United Methodist Church and the Radio Advertising Bureau. She is also the public relations director for the Bishop's School Manor Society. Margaret recently joined the board of directors of the SSU Alumni Association.

Sherri Emerson is engaged to marry Gregory F. Jones on June 2. She is employed in the Cardiac Surgical Intensive Care Unit in Baltimore.

Debbie Bell Anderson and her husband, Brad, are the proud parents of Joshua Brian Anderson born on February 14. They reside in Cambridge, MD. Debbie is a pediatric nurse and works in a private office.

Hannah Taleu was promoted to a primary nurse at the Maryland Institute of Emergency Medical Services Systems (Shock Trauma) in June.

Donna Hock Levay married John R. Levay, program director and disc jockey of WOCQ radio, February 11. She was recently promoted to sales assistant at Dean Witter Reynolds. The couple resides in Salisbury.

Eric Rebstock married Kelly Cian on September 9, in Baltimore. He is employed by Nabisco Brands, Inc. They reside in Delaware.

Lesley Paul was married to Lt. David Stroud on May 21, 1988. They live in Ft. Huachuca, AZ. Lesley is an adapted physical education teacher for grades K-6 and also a certified athletic trainer for the local high school. She plans to enter a physical therapy program at the University of Puget Sound in Washington state.

Michael Crum and his wife Laura have recently enjoyed the first birthday of their son, Thomas Joseph. Mike is presently employed as an instructor at the Wesley College School of Nursing in Dover and as a rehabilitation and auditing representative with Coldwell-Banker Stephens, Adkins & Roop real estate in Salisbury. The Crums also plan to move to a new house in Parsonsburg in the spring.

Navy Ensign **Judith A. Mueller** has completed the Officer Indoctrination School at the Naval Education and Training Center, Newport, RI.

Madelyn Caldwell of Bennett Middle School in Salisbury has been nominated for the "Reader's Digest" 1990 American Heroes in Education Awards.

Ann Allen is currently employed with the Wicomico Historical Society. She recently gave State Sen. Lewis R. Riley a tour of the new Wicomico Heritage Centre. The facility was dedicated by the Wicomico Historical Society.

J. Edwin Hobbs is chairman of the organization SCORE.

Joanne C. Lipinski has completed the Officer Indoctrination School at the Naval Education and Training Center.

Jeffery Scott Slacum married Colinda Kay Andrews. The couple resides in Bridgeville, DE.

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George Oursler is an assistant football coach at Western Maryland College.

Louis (Jay) F. Reale, Jr. is living in Southern California. For over two years, he has been a professional bodyboarder and competed on the U.S. Pro Tour of surfing and bodyboarding. He has had the good fortune of riding waves all over the world. He is also a contributing editor with "Body Boarding Magazine" and "Action Watersport Magazine."

Larry L. Truslow, Jr. is currently campaigning for a seat on the Republican Central Committee of Cecil County. Last February, he came within 68 votes of being the youngest person elected mayor in North East or Cecil County History.

Capt. Lee Merritt and **Mary Jo Phipps** were married in November 1986. They are currently living in Savannah, GA and have a son, Kyle Christopher, 2 1/2. Lee is stationed at Ft. Stewart and Mary Jo is co-manager of a women's retail store.

Kenneth Lynn Mahan recently began a new job as an assistant manager with Woolworth's in Seaford, DE. He and his wife, Donna, an assistant at Hecht's Salisbury store, continue to reside in Salisbury.

Alan W. Gravenor is the retail district operational manager for the Wigwam, Ltd. He works part time in the box office at the Wicomico Youth and Civic Center. In 1987 and 1989 Alan was named to Outstanding Youth Men of America. He is currently enrolled in a graduate program at SSU.

Mary Phipps Dickerson is working as a sanitarian with the Environmental Health Division of the Wicomico County Health Department. She and her husband, Ray, are the proud parents of Megan and are expecting another child in July.

Mark Kevin Harrison married Andrea McCready recently. Mark is employed with the U.S. Government in Washington, and Andrea is employed with George White, attorney at law, in Salisbury.

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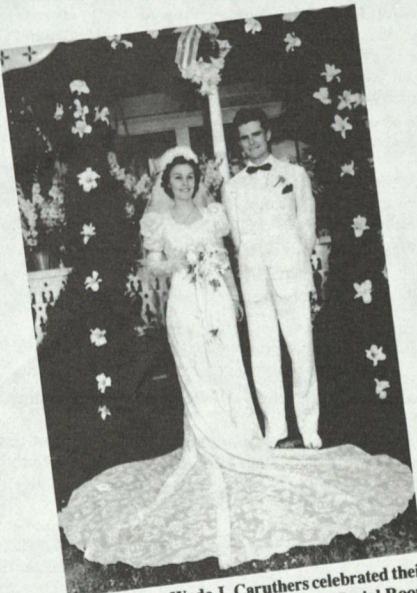
Kim Dryden Henry returned to SSU to get a secondary

science teaching certification and was hired as the chemistry/honors chemistry teacher for Indian River (DE) High School in September. She also coaches the science Olympiad team.

Susan Uhlan Jones and **John Lyndon Jones** ('86) are the proud parents of a baby girl, Elizabeth Anne, born January 30. Susan teaches fourth grade at Conowingo Elementary School, and John manages JP Animal Supply. They have just built a new home in Rising Sun, MD.

Kevin Cassidy married Dana O'Neill on April 21. Kevin is in his second year at Thomas Cooley Law School in Lansing.

Donald G. Brown, Jr. married Martha Ann Kimble on December 3. They are temporarily residing in Randallstown, MD. "Chip" works as a manager for Marketbin Supermarkets, a family owned business located in the Glen Burnie area.



Dr. and Mrs. Wade J. Caruthers celebrated their 50th anniversary on April 21 in the Social Room of Holloway Hall, where they met 56 years ago.

Alexander R. Raywood married Carol E. Costas. They are currently on maternity leave from teaching and expecting their little boy in May. Alex is a senior programmer/analyst for the school board of Broward County, FL as well as a software consultant for mortgage institutions throughout the U.S.

David S. Irwin was recently named Ryland Homes' sales representative of the year for 1989. He resides in Pikesville, MD.

Anthony R. Hall opened Firm Health Club in the summer of 1987 and sold it in spring 1989. He then opened Hall's American Health and Fitness. He was Mr. Atlantic Coast in 1988, Mr. South Eastern Pennsylvania in 1989 and Mr. South Jersey in 1989.

Valerie Birch is completing a dual worker's program in urban and regional planning and landscape architecture at Virginia Tech, where she is a research assistant in the School of Architecture and Urban Studies. She was also a first place winner in the "Faces and Places of Appalachia Contest."

Dean Prager joined forces with fellow SAE alumnus **Mike Scarborough** ('76) to form "The Scarborough Group, Inc." and "Phoenix Investment Advisors." Their corporations are in corporate education, investment management and the financial management of professional athletes. Both can be found daily having lunch at a saloon in Annapolis.

Carrie Lisa Vaszko is engaged to marry **Steven Lewis** ('89). A September wedding is planned.

Martin Neat was the 1989 lower Eastern Shore of Maryland United Way's campaign chairperson.

Michael James was recently named general manager of the Sheraton Salisbury by Hospitality Partners, a Washington, D.C. based hotel management company.

Ava Hartman is a program aide and assistant for the Worcester County Preschool.

Phinis Ashley is the training director at the Holly Center in Salisbury.

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Charlene K. Williamson recently passed the certified public accountants' examination. She is employed with James Pigg & Co. in Salisbury.

Mary Tim Ramsey is the marketing director for the Salisbury Mall.

Janet M. Hales is engaged to marry David Heath.

Richard H. Landon married Joann Leber on April 15. He is employed as an agent with Atlantic Insurance Associates in Ocean City. He and his wife are in the process of building a home in Ocean Pines. Joann is a sales administrator with Freudenburg/Wheaton in Salisbury.

Peter A. Roskovich recently opened a new restaurant in Salisbury called Rosko's Grille. He was also recently engaged to Linda M. Deere ('87).

David Amann is married to Theresa Stromer, and the couple have a son, Billy. The family resides in Catonsville, MD. David is a certified public accountant employed by Hillman, Glorioso & Co. in Silver Spring.

Gregg Thomas is engaged to marry Sherrie Twilley on April 28. Gregg is employed by Tate Engineering in Delmar.

Linda Densmore is currently working on her master's in exercise science/cardiac rehabilitation at East Stroudsburg University. Her degree will be completed in August.

Doug Andrews is currently working for the Worcester County Department of Social Services in Snow Hill.

Donna Walker was married to Gary Franz on September 9, 1989. They are living in their house in New Freedom, PA. Donna worked at Sheppard Pratt Hospital for 1 1/2 years and is currently working at Mt. Washington Pediatric Hospital in Baltimore.

Ann Altfather has returned to SSU to pursue a second degree in elementary education. She will start her graduate work in early childhood in the fall. She is also working as a resident director at SSU.

Terri Roscoe is employed by the Department of Navy at the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery in Washington, D.C. as a manpower management analyst. She is engaged to marry Bruce Wright ('90). The wedding is planned for November 3. The couple has purchased a new home in Ellicott City, MD.

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Vanessa Volk married Anthony Dale Simms on October 22. Vanessa is a nurse at Nanticoke (DE) Memorial Hospital and Anthony is employed as a maintenance foreman by Coldwater Seafood Corp. in Cambridge, MD. The couple is residing in Delmar.

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Carolyn Steinbarger married Thomas Whitelock on April 28.

Laura Tyndall is employed with the Accomack (VA) County School Board as a kindergarten teacher.

Cathy Beers married Mark Preti on March 18. Mark is a purchasing supervisor for a metal stamping company. Cathy is currently holding a position as a childcare worker in a residential treatment facility. Cathy and Mark are living in Danbury CT.

Joseph E. Bulin is employed as a child protection service worker for Accomack (VA) County.

Rodney A. Davis is employed as a mathematician with NASA at the Wallops Flight Facility in Wallops Island, VA.

Sharon D. Simonds and Lt. Robert W. Cummins, Jr. were married on May 12. They reside in Fayetteville, NC.

Stephen Chandler was hired by the Maryland National Capital Park & Planning Commission as program specialist/assistant director of the Bladensburg Community Center.

Holly Baker is employed with the Delmarva Council of the Boy Scouts of America as the Brandywine District executive.

Eva Marie Burbage is engaged to marry **Gregory Scott Clifton**. Eva is employed with C.W. Amos &

Co. in Salisbury, and Greg is employed by Tideland Scale Co. in Salisbury. The wedding is planned for May 25.

George Vincent McConville recently married Eileen L. Hooper. They are both employed by Naval Air Systems Command in Washington, D.C. The couple is residing in Woodbridge, VA.

Marlene Rinnier is currently a full-time secretarial studies instructor at Wor-Wic Tech Community College. She was a teacher at Wicomico Middle School before joining Wor-Wic. She and her husband, Bill, have two children, Blair, 16, and Lisa, 14.

Stephen Schweikert is residing in Salisbury and is employed by the Police Department as a police officer.

Jan Hills is working toward state certification to teach art. She begins her student teaching this spring.

Jeffrey T. Greenwood is attending the University of Maryland School of Medicine at Baltimore. He recently received a medical equipment grant of \$1000 and a scholarship of \$800.

Martha Graham recently won first prize in the Art Institute and Gallery's miniatures and still life exhibits.

In Memoriam

Evelyn Rayne Parks, of the Class of '30, passed away on March 28 in Nanticoke (DE) Memorial Hospital of acute myocardial infarction.

Camilla Dennis Rogers, of the Class of '36, passed away on March 5. She was a life member of the PGH Alumni Association, a past member in the American Nurses Association, and a past member of the Maryland Nurses Association. She was also a member of the Wicomico Historical Society.

Donna Hoyt Heinmuller, of the Class of '43, passed away at Johns Hopkins Hospital in January. She received her B.A. from SSU in education after graduating from Easton High School. Mrs. Heinmuller was an active student and a supportive alumna.

Lester Holsberg, of the Class of '53, passed away in December. While at SSU, Mr. Holsberg was freshman class president and president of student government in his senior year.

Ellen B. Hawks, of the Class of '60, passed away in March at the Wesleyan Health Care Center where she had been a resident since 1983. She taught elementary education in Caroline County (MD), retiring in 1967.

Norman L. Aaron, of the Class of '68, passed away in January 1982. He was the father of **Francine Aaron Harrison**, Class of '70. Nine scholarships were set up in his name at Cambridge-South Dorchester High School. The recipients of the scholarships must be entering the teaching profession or a religious oriented school.

William R. Bowen, of the Class of '75, passed away in August 1989 when the airplane he was co-piloting crashed in Lynchburg, VA. In addition to flying charters, he was also an elementary guidance counselor with the Worcester County Board of Education.

Neil R. Taylor, of the Class of '75, passed away in January from a brain tumor.

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